STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT State of Florida

METHODS OF UTILIZATION REVIEW IN FACILITIES

Utilization review in both Title XVIII/XIX facilities and Title XIX-only facilities is accomplished by facility-based review, except as follows:

Developmental Services diagnosis and evaluation teams conduct utilization review in intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded, in accordance with terms of an agreement with the Medicaid program office.

METHODS OF UTILIZATION REVIEW IN INSTITUTIONS

Utilization review in institutions is accomplished as follows:

- (a) In Title XVIII/XIX nursing facilities and swing bed hospitals, utilization review is suspended in accordance with the provisions of OBRA '87.
- (b) In mental hospitals, utilization review is performed by the Medicare Utilization Review Committee.

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